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TENTH YEAR

## CANDY KITCHENS DID NOT CLOSE

Order Was Given by Marshal,  
But was Recalled. Special  
Permission to Run Sunday  
Matter Will be Taken  
Under Advisement

The candy kitchens and refreshment stands which were scheduled to close on Sunday, on the grounds that the revised ordinances makes it a misdemeanor for such business establishments to conduct their business on the Sabbath day, were given the privilege of remaining open on Sunday, pending an investigation on the part of the city authorities. City Marshal A. E. Cranney Saturday morning made the rounds of the city and instructed the proprietors of each refreshment stand regarding the new ordinance and told them they would be required to remain closed and that all business must be suspended for the day. At once, Robert Murdock, proprietor of the Murdock Candy company, took his case to the city attorney and the city commissioners. He showed to them he had considerable perishable goods in stock and that to deprive him of conducting his business would mean a heavy loss. He also showed where in he would have to dispense with considerable help if he were forced to abide the Sabbath closing clause and was given every assurance by the City Attorney A. A. Law that it was not his disposition to work a hardship on anyone. The city commissioners were of the same mind and the decision was recalled and the candy kitchens allowed to remain open pending an investigation.

The Havana Cigar store on Main street, the Davis Grocery, the Ewer Grocery, and the Lloyd Grocery at the depot were closed and will more than likely be required to suspend Sunday business. In this connection Mr. Riter of the Riter Bros Drug Co., said that he was opposed to discriminating laws and thereupon forbade his help from selling tobacco in any form. He took the ground that if it were a misdemeanor for the cigar store to dispense of tobacco that it was just as much of an offense for him to sell it.

## IMPORTANT TOPO- GRAPHIC MAP

Washington, D. C. Dec. 9.—A fine topographic map of the area known as the Randolph quadrangle, in Utah and Wyoming, has just been issued by the United States Geological Survey. This map includes the southern half of Bear Lake, Utah, and a portion of the Cache National Forest. The area mapped is a little less than 900 square miles. Through its eastern portion runs Bear River, an exceedingly tortuous stream meandering through a flat valley from 2 miles to 5 miles in width in which are located the towns of Randolph and Woodruff. The map shows that this river, like most other meandering streams has by abandoning parts of its course in favor of shorter cuts made numerous oxbow lakes, some of which are entirely cut off and others are in process of formation. The waters of Bear River are largely diverted and used for irrigation. The Cache National Forest is very rugged mountain country, with altitudes of 7000 to nearly 9000 feet. The elevation of Bear Lake is 5,924 feet. The topographic field work in this quadrangle was done in 1909-10 by Albert Pike and A. E. Murlin, topographic engineers of the United States Geological Survey. The map is sold by the Director of the Survey at 5 cents a copy.

Do your Christmas shopping early.

### O. S. L. BRAKEMAN FALLS INTO BEAR RIVER

A brakeman by the name of Grant fell from a moving freight train Sunday evening into Bear river where the O. S. L. railroad crosses the river at Cache Junction. The river was dragged all day yesterday and the body found late last evening and brought to Logan.

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## DIPLOMATS WILL MEET FRIDAY

The British Government Places St. James Palace at the Disposal of the Balkan Plenipotentiaries. End is Near

London, Dec. 9.—The prospects for a satisfactory and a reasonable rapid settlement of the Balkan war and of the greater European interests hanging upon it seem brighter tonight than at any time since the allied armies took the field against Turkey.

The envoys from the Balkan kingdoms, Greece—if Greece decides to participate—and the Ottoman empire will hold the first meeting of the peace conference next Friday. At the same time the ambassadors of the great powers at London, charged with the task of protecting the interests of their countries, will meet as a sort of court of appeals to watch, advise and admonish the peace delegates.

### Task For Great Men

To reach even this complicated arrangement has strained all the resources of European diplomacy. There have been times in the last month when the consent of all the governments to a friendly gathering appeared beyond the range of possibility. Austria's consent yesterday to join the ambassadorial conference and Germany, which stood aside waiting the decision of its ally announced its acquiescence today. This will be by far the most important assembly of diplomats since the Berlin conference of the Russo-Turkish war. Giants like Bismarck, Beaconsfield, Salisbury and Gortchakoff, to be sure, will not tread the stage, but their successors who do will have an equally important work to perform.

### One Hard Knot

One question charged with the possibilities of disaster is Serbia's unquenchable determination for an Adriatic port, and Austria's determination that she shall not have it.

Servian official newspapers make it plain, however, that the little kingdom has made up its mind to take instructions from the powers, so far as public opinion in Serbia will let it.

A second interesting struggle will take place over Turkey's endeavors to hold as much of the conquered territory as Oriental diplomacy and the help of friendly powers can save for her. The best bargain the sultan can make probably will reduce his subjects in Europe from more than 10 less than 2,000,000 and the Turk seems reconciled to this.

### The Greek Problem

A third important factor will be the Greek attempt to gain Saloniki. Besides, various difficult questions will arise over the commercial status of the various states, the disposition Continued on page 8.

## UNLAWFUL TO SELL TOBACCO

A circular letter is now being sent to every merchant in Cache County by H. A. Pederson, judge of the Juvenile court, calling their attention to the law regarding the selling of tobacco to minors, and making the request that this practice be discontinued immediately. It is the intention of the Juvenile officers to make a war against the use of tobacco by minors in this county and one of the most effective ways of ridding the youth of this practice which is becoming so universal is to insist on dealers not to sell it to them. There is a state law prohibiting all persons under the age of twenty-one years from even carrying tobacco on their person, and only one found guilty of so doing, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and are liable to a fine not exceeding \$100. A copy of the letter being mailed is as follows:

"Information has come to us from the officials of your town that tobacco is sold to minors by some of the merchants of your town and that boys of tender years are obtaining tobacco from dealers and are smoking openly on the streets. Hence we write you as a merchant to impress upon you the necessity of obeying the law in this respect. Of course (Continued on page 8)

## The "Big Brains," Retiring and Ascendant, Of a \$454,000,000 Railroad System.



Photograph by American Press Association.

Here are the latest snapshots of James W. McCrean, forced to resign the headship of the Pennsylvania because of a breakdown in health, and Samuel Rea, who succeeds him on New Year's day. It has been said that the presidents of big railroads go the pace that kills in continually thinking out "big things," and a study of the faces of these two shows clearly the intense mental stress of their long years in the service. Mr. Rea is no longer young, being fifty-seven, but he is a prodigious worker, who can take on exacting tasks without apparent fatigue.

## A. BATESON AND S. J. JEPSON

A new grocery store under the firm name of Bateson-Jeppson company, has just opened up at North Main street. The proprietors of the new firm are A. Bateson and S. J. Jeppson. They expect to conduct a wholesale as well as a retail business. A full and complete line of green, fancy and staple groceries will be carried by the new company. Arthur Bateson, who has had twenty-five years experience in the grocery business in this city will look after the inside business of the partnership, while Mr. Jeppson will look after the outside, or wholesale part of the firm's business. A free delivery will be conducted, as is customary with all the city grocery stores.

## AMATEURS TO PRESENT FINE PLAY

"The House Next Door," the play which is to be presented at Nibley Hall Wednesday evening December 11, under the auspices of the Sigma Alpha Fraternity is a vital and interesting play well worth seeing. The play is one of the New York successes. It has the distinction of having had a one year's run at the Gaiety Theater. Later it toured all the principle cities of the country. The author J. Hartley Manners wrote "The Patriot" the play in which William Collier recently starred, and also "Peg O' My Heart" the new play of Laurette Taylor whose fame as sung in "The Bird of Paradise" is everywhere known.

A clever play acted by a group of clever amateurs is no mean treat for the Logan theater loving public. Practically all of the cast of "The House Next Door" have had previous experience in amateur theatricals. Last Wednesday night the play was put on at Providence. Everyone present were unanimous in their praise of the play and the players. It was conceded to be one of the best amateur productions ever staged in that town. Every effort is being made to have a similar opinion created after the performance in Logan.

## FOOTBALL TIMBER TO ATTEND U. A. C.

Already encouraging reports are coming to the U. A. C. football players from outside sources that many players from various schools throughout the country will be in attendance at the College next season. The fullback on the Boise team this year is reported to have strong desires to attend the Logan school. Of the Salt Lake High school team who will probably be in attendance at the local college if present plans materialize are "Piggy" Ward and Captain Olsen, the two halfbacks, and Mr. Cahoon, center for the Salt Lake High. "Piggy" is said to be a good track man and all round athlete. To secure the above men for the Athletics would mean much for the athletic department of the College.

## OLD SANTA CLAUS REALLY CAME TO LOGAN SATURDAY

Mr. Ras Rasmussen the genial proprietor of the 15c Bazaar recently devised a unique plan to cheerfully entertain the little folks of this city and on Saturday of last week found the fruits of his labors made apparent by the assembling of hundreds of children at his place of business to obtain still more gladdened hearts by receiving a cheerful word and a written message from old Santa Claus, himself. "St. Nick" arrived on the noon train and proceeded at once to the Bazaar where he greeted the little ones as above stated and then opened a post office there at which he will receive letters daily from 10 to 11 a. m. and from 5 to 6 p. m.

The following are the cast of characters in the comedy:  
The Cotswold Family—  
Sir John Cotswold...Wm. S. Clark  
Margaret, his wife...Marie Barber  
Ulrica, his daughter Irene Hendrick  
Ulrica, his daughter Irene Hendrickson  
..... Irene Hendrickson  
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## AN UNUSUAL STORE FRONT

Riter Bros. Drug Co. Makes Improvement. Store Front Of an Unique Design. All Work Done by Local People

In passing by the old stand—for thirty-two years—of Riter Bros. Drug company, one cannot fail to note the striking appearance of the new front. This design is the work of K. C. Schaub, our local architect, and general manager, B. F. Riter.

The striking feature of this front is the steel frame copper finished canopy, covered with wired glass. This canopy projects five feet from the building over the sidewalk and is immediately over the show windows, so as to protect the windows from storms, and rays of the sun, and does away with the unsightly canvas awning.

The show windows are of French plate glass, set in copper on a steel frame base, finished in copper, and the door to the entrance is set with bevel plate glass, thus giving a full view to the interior of the store from the outside. The piers of the front of the building are to be finished in tile of a special design and color. This tile is intended to extend up and over the show windows and continue round the face of the building, so as to form a striking sign Riter Bros. Drug company.

Another special feature of the front is the prism glass transom, set in copper. This transom reflects a flood of light into the interior of the store. The entrance to the store and to the upstairs is set in mosaic style of tile, and the store entrance will have a striking design worked therein, "R. B. D. Co."

The interior wood work to form the show windows is of the highest type of workmanship, and was done under the personal direction of Mr. Chris. Jacobsen, for the well known contracting firm of Nelson, Worley and Nelson.

The backing of the show windows is of plate glass and French plate mirrors. The latter being set in a frame so as to slide up and down on weights in order to give access to the windows from the interior. The lighting effect is obtained from the top of the windows, by means of special reflectors, set with silver prism glass. In each window are twelve of these reflectors, carrying a like number of 40-watt Mazda lamps, producing the brilliant lighting effect.

The interior finish is of light oak, in keeping with the interior of the store; this finish is from the brush of Charles Holmes. The outside construction has been under the immediate direction of Olof Nelson, while the firm of William Edwards, took charge of the setting of the plate glass mirrors, etc., in a most workman like manner, without an accident.

## INCORPORATION OF NEW COMPANY

Articles of incorporation have been filed with the county clerk by the Logan Stone and Monument company. The new company is capitalized at \$50,000 with shares at the par value of \$1.00. The officers of the company are:

V. S. Amussen, president and director; P. O. Hansen, vice president and director; J. H. Brown, secretary and director; J. P. Jones, Charles Batt, Andrew Bistling, and H. P. Nebeker, directors.

## HORTICULTURISTS HOLD MEETING

The state commission on horticulture was in session at the Agricultural College yesterday afternoon. Reports which are required from the commission by the state were being considered. Material for these reports is being collected in order that the regular reports to the state legislature will be compiled in order that the reports can be promptly made. The members of the commission in attendance were J. Edward Taylor, state horticulturist and secretary of the commission; Dr. E. D. Ball; Dr. Leon Batchelor, and Prof. W. H. Romer of Pleasant Grove.